

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: BIOPURE SECURITIES
LITIGATION

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) Civ. No. 03-12628-NG
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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF JOHN D. HUGHES
AS COUNSEL TO DEFENDANT HOWARD RICHMAN

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.5.2(c), John. D. Hughes hereby withdraws as counsel for Defendant Howard Richman. Dr. Richman has retained attorney Laurie C. Carafone of the law firm Dwyer & Collora LLP, 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts, 02210, to represent him in this action. There are no motions pending before the Court and no trial date has been set. Further, no oral or written reports are due, nor have any hearings or conferences been scheduled.

Respectfully submitted,

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